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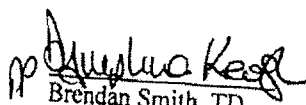
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Dear Chryss

My attention has been drawn to an article in today's edition of the Irish Times in relation to the Irish National Stud and I would ask that you provide me with a full report on the matters raised therein as a matter of urgency.

I look forward to receiving your report at the earliest date.

Yours Sincerely


Brendan Smith, TD

Minister for Agriculture, Fisheries and Food.